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### QUADRENNIAL APPRAISAL.

Several Taxpayers Object to Valuation Placed on Their Property.

A meeting of the board of civil authority was held Monday night at city clerk's office for the purpose of considering protests against the quadrennial appraisal of real estate recently made by the city assessors. Several such protests were considered.

L. M. Barrows objected to the valuation placed on the property at Nos. 54, 56, 58 and 60 Church street but as his protest was not filed until September 8 the time limit had passed and the protest was laid on the table.

G. S. Blodgett protested against valuation of \$12,000 placed on the building at No. 191 College street. The assessors said that this property was placed in the list eight years ago at \$14,000. This year the valuation was reduced to \$12,000. The action of the assessors was sustained.

John O'Neil and P. E. McSweeney objected to the valuation on the property at the southern end of Elm street owned by them and by Dr. B. J. Andrews. The property was formerly in the list at \$2,900. This year it was valued at \$1,000.

Mr. O'Neil spoke first and said that an increase of 400 per cent was altogether too much. Dr. McSweeney told the assessors that he and Dr. Andrews would sell their half interest in the property for a third less than the valuation placed on the property by the assessors. The board continued the matter.

Jerry Guyette thought the valuation of \$1,400 on the premises at No. 10 Row street was too much. The list was increased by the assessors from \$1,000. Their action was sustained.

G. B. Rand objected to the appraisal of the property at No. 315 Maple street and at No. 219 Church street. The former property was reduced from \$5,000 to \$4,000 and the latter was increased from \$2,000 to \$2,200. The action of the assessors was sustained.

Attorney H. S. Peck appeared in behalf of the Grand Lodge of Vermont, F. & A. M., and requested a reduction in the valuation of the Masonic Temple. The appraisal was reduced from \$50,000 to \$40,000. After the board of civil authority adjourned the board of aldermen was called to order. A petition to curb and gutter Elm street north of Maple street was referred to the street commissioners.

The street commissioners reported in favor of the petition for sewers in Walnut and North Bend streets and interval avenue and resolutions authorizing the work were passed.

### VERDICT FOR DEFENDANT.

It Was Ordered by the Court in Case of Gadue vs. Champlain Mfg. Co.

No cases were ready for trial Thursday in county court and the day was passed in hearing a few motions and business of minor importance. The grand jury was in session and a great number of witnesses were called before them. According to statements made during the political campaign, this grand jury is to investigate the charges made by P. W. Clement that cattle condemned as tubercular were sold and distributed as good meat. It was announced that everyone who had any knowledge on this subject would be summoned to appear before the grand jury and because of the importance of this matter the session of the jury will probably be longer than usual.

In the case of Homer E. Powell vs. N. N. Noyes and D. Noyes Burton judgment was entered Thursday for the plaintiff. The case of George J. S. Wilkins vs. the State Mfg. Co. was continued with costs as to the plaintiff. The case of R. W. Taft vs. C. E. Walker was continued with costs as to the plaintiff.

The case of Spaulding, Kimball & Co. vs. H. A. Whitehill was discontinued. The following new cases have been made: Clara M. Lewis vs. Frank J. Lewis; Anna M. Ladue vs. Frank Ladue; Orvia Roberts vs. Adeline Roberts; Margie W. Anderson vs. Andrew Anderson.

The case of Honora Wright vs. the Burlington Traction Co., an action brought to recover damages of \$500 for injuries alleged to have been caused by the plaintiff while she was riding in an electric car, was settled and discontinued Friday. The trial was to have begun in county court in the morning but the settlement was perfected just before court opened. The amount of damages paid was not announced by counsel.

The case of J. S. Wilkins administrator, vs. Brock & Roselle was the next one set for trial but no trial was had. This action was brought to recover damages of \$10,000 for alleged malpractice, the defendants being osteopaths in Montpelier. C. S. Palmer, counsel for the defendants, filed an affidavit of defense. Important witnesses were out of the State and that counsel had been but recently called into the State. After argument additional bail of \$100 was ordered and the case was continued with the condition that the defendant pay \$100, the alternative being judgment for the plaintiff.

The following disposition has been made of other cases: M. E. Rosenberg vs. E. F. Fowler, discontinued. Florence H. Englesby vs. D. W. C. Clapp, with court. Nathan A. Durand vs. George Goodrich, with court.

Morris Brown vs. Joseph Agel, discontinued. Esther Brown vs. Joseph Agel, discontinued.

H. H. Walker vs. H. A. Bailey, continued on terms as to the plaintiff. Henry Bowley vs. The Consolidated Rendering Co., placed at heel of the docket.

The first jury trial to be taken up at the present term of county court was begun Saturday. The case is that of Cyril Gadue vs. the Champlain Manufacturing Co., and is an action brought to recover damages of \$4,000. The plaintiff claims he was employed by the defendant company as a carpenter on a house being built by the company at a place called Smith in St. Albans. While so employed he claims a staking was faultily constructed and caused him to fall. The defense is that the staking was properly constructed but that the defendant loosened the affair, thereby causing it to fall.

The plaintiff's evidence in the case of Cyril Gadue vs. Champlain Manufacturing company was completed Monday afternoon in county court and the defense was begun. The plaintiff seeks to recover damages of \$4,000 for injuries he received by being thrown to the ground when a staking, which he claims was faultily constructed, gave way.

The most important evidence during the day was the testimony of E. A. Clifton of St. Albans. He said he saw Gadue knocking at the props of the staking. He further said that a carpenter began to saw on a portion of the support of the staking and that he ordered the work stopped.

A judgment for the Champlain Manufacturing Co. was ordered Tuesday by Judge Rowell in county court in the case brought by Cyril Gadue for damages of \$4,000. The case had been practically completed but had not been given to the jury when the judge directed a verdict for the defendant company to recover its costs. The plaintiff sought damages for injuries he received by the giving way of a staking on which he was working. His claim was that the staking was improperly constructed. The defense showed that Gadue had himself cut away a portion of the support and had asked another carpenter to do so similar work. H. F. Wolcott appeared for the plaintiff and A. G. Whittemore and R. E. Brown for the defendant.

The next case to be taken up was that of Delany & Rafferty vs. The Security Life Stock Co. This case has been on the docket about 10 years. It involves a horse which the plaintiffs had insured in the defendant company. The horse died and the company declined to make payment on the ground that there had been misrepresentations. Subsequently the company went into the hands of a receiver. A sum of money was paid to the State by the company for the privilege of doing business and the plaintiffs brought suit to get hold of that. It amounts to about \$60. The horse was a valuable one, Dr. Miller stating that it was worth \$2,000 or more. The insurance is reported at \$50. One of the severest electrical storms ever known prevailed in that section. For a long time the lightning flashes were almost continuous.

### THE PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS.

Every Institution Shows an Increase, with over 1,400 in All.

The parochial schools in this city opened Monday with masses at both St. Mary's Cathedral and St. Joseph's Church. At eight o'clock in the morning the pupils of the Cathedral school gathered at the Cathedral, where mass was celebrated by the Rev. W. P. Crosby. The children then marched to St. Mary's and listened to address by the Rev. P. J. Barrett. At 11:30 o'clock they again gathered in the hall when the Rt. Rev. Bishop Michaud gave an instructive talk. The children of the Nazareth and parochial schools attended mass at St. Joseph's Church, which was celebrated by the Rt. Rev. Mgr. Cloarec.

There will be over 1,400 children attending the parochial schools in this city this fall. At the Nazareth school 550 children reported yesterday. There will be over 300 at St. Joseph's and nearly 300 at the Cathedral school. At each school there is a large increase over the attendance last season. The same teachers have been retained in all three schools.

Each school has been thoroughly cleaned and repaired during the summer and they now present a neat and attractive appearance. Between 800 and 900 have been spent the past summer for repairs on the Cathedral school.

### DEATH OF G. W. LOWREY

Lifeless Body Was Found by His Partner, F. O. Beaupre.

Had Been about His Usual Duties during the Day, Apparently in Good Health—Well-Known Man and Prominent Mason.

George William Lowrey was found dead at his rooms in the building at the northwest corner of Church and Bank streets Tuesday night about 6:30 o'clock by Fred O. Beaupre. He was reclining on a sofa and it was stated by Dr. Sam Sparhawk, after an examination, that life must have been extinct two or three hours. Mr. Lowrey had been in apparently perfect health and was about his usual duties Tuesday. Death must have come very suddenly, and was without doubt due to heart trouble.

Mr. Lowrey was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lowrey and was born in Danvers, N. Y., January 27, 1854. Soon after the death of his father Mr. Lowrey came to Shelburne, where he received his education. He was employed as a clerk in several stores in Burlington, being employed in the drug store of Vincent & Taft for four years, beginning in 1878. In 1880 he and Mr. Beaupre formed a partnership and opened a drug store at the corner of Church and Bank streets, where they were in business for 19 years.

After disposing of the business Mr. Lowrey and Mr. Beaupre continued their partnership but devoted their energies to real estate, building up a large and prosperous business.

Mr. Lowrey was numbered among the enterprising and public spirited citizens of the city. He was a member of Washington Lodge, No. 3, F. & A. M., of which he was master in 1891-2. He was also a member of Burlington Chapter, R. A. M., Burlington Council, R. & S. M., Burlington Commandery, Knights Templar, and Mount Sinai Temple, Mystic Shrine. He has held offices in nearly all of these bodies. He was also a member of the Elks club.

Mr. Lowrey's mother and sister are both dead and Mr. Lowrey has lived alone for many years, being a bachelor. He was a widely traveled man, having been twice to Alaska and having spent several months abroad recently. The funeral arrangements will be completed later.

### NEWS OF VERMONT

More Important Events Grouped for Free Press Readers—A Good Year Story by Two Rutland Men.

A large female bear attacked two men four miles south of Rutland Sunday. Frank Sullivan and John Conlin of Rutland started for Shrewsbury with a team of horses early Sunday morning, and when four miles outside of the city on the Cold river road, a large bear and two cubs sprang out of the woods by the roadside and attacked the horses. The men attacked the savage animal with the whip, and the bear then turned its attention to the occupants of the wagon. While one drove, the other fought off the bear with the whip and in this way they managed to get by in safety.

### WANTS PIERCE WATER SUPPLY.

Another attempt is being made to remove some of the sources of pollution at the source of the Rutland city water supply. The city owns a five-acre lot in Mendon where most of the feed stores are located. Marcellus E. Rutland is anxious to obtain the land and offers to move from the stream bank a barn said to be detrimental to the purity of the water supply on condition that the city sell him the land reasonably. It is probable that the deal will be made.

### SMALL APPLE CROP.

The apple crop in Bennington county is considered a failure, and will not be over one-half of the usual supply. Quantities of apples have dropped from the trees, the fruit in most cases having been stung near the stem by insects. Not much cider will be made.

### LARGE BARN BURNED.

A large farm barn filled with hay and farming tools, belonging to Joseph Foley and situated about two miles north of Abercorn, Que., and five miles from Richmond village, was struck by lightning Sunday evening and burned. The loss is \$10,000 or more. The insurance is reported at \$50. One of the severest electrical storms ever known prevailed in that section. For a long time the lightning flashes were almost continuous.

### MRS. ELMER BEGINS HER 31ST YEAR AS TEACHER IN BRATTLEBORO.

The record of Mrs. Stella S. Elmer of Brattleboro among the public school instructors in Vermont is exceptional. Mrs. Elmer began Tuesday her 31st year as a teacher in the Brattleboro high school. She entered the high school as a pupil in 1856, before the school was graded and before the graduating class were in vogue. She went from there to the high school in Springfield, Mass. Then she taught in Newfane, Claremont, N. H., and the Brattleboro primary school, entering the high school as a teacher in 1864 when the late B. P. Bingham, for 25 years principal, was at the head. After the fall term in 1869 Mrs. Elmer then Miss Elmer, left the school and was married to James P. Elmer of Canton, N. Y. She returned 12 years later, in the spring of 1882, and taught continuously ever since, holding a position next in importance to that of the principal. At first she taught various branches, but her specialties have been Latin and mathematics. She now teaches Latin and advanced algebra. Since 1882, when the school first awarded diplomas, 628 pupils have been graduated, and not one has a feeling toward Mrs. Elmer except that of deepest respect. Mrs. Elmer was born in Putney, August 12, 1844, and came to Brattleboro at the age of 12 years. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer have three children, James Leslie, now of Guilford, who was with the 5th U. S. cavalry in Texas and was a Lieutenant in the 43d U. S. Infantry in the Philippines, Mrs. George S. Wright of Bethel, whose husband is principal of the Whitecomb high school, and Dr. Raymond S. Elmer, a dentist in Bellows Falls.

### DEER REPORTED VERY PLENTY.

Emerging fearlessly from their retreat a little after sundown, large herds of deer appear almost every night in the vicinity of Rutland. The stringent game laws,

which went into effect a few years ago, giving the deer a fair chance to live and multiply, are the cause of great numbers and since the long protection from the wanton slaughter of the sportsman's gun have made these beautiful animals so tame that they have been known to sleep in the meadows far from the friendly protection of woods. Most of those that have appeared so far have been large young animals but they are nearly always led by a lonely buck, who stands guard over the herd. In Mendon their appearances have been especially frequent. M. E. Wheeler of Rutland, who has a cottage at that place, sees them almost nightly. Sometimes they come within 15 yards of the house and they are as tame as cows. Their appearances have become so frequent that Mr. Wheeler often invites his friends to spend the evening with him and enjoy the novel and beautiful sight. In spite of their fearlessness they never attempt to injure the crops, seeming content to browse upon the pasture lands. Many ranches have been made available to the injured crops by the deer. However, most of those statements have been refuted by those who do not wish to see the handsome creatures slaughtered. If the present game laws were repealed, it would only be a few months when these perfectly harmless animals would be a thing of the past.

### TO BUILD A FINE RESIDENCE.

George A. Johnson of New York, vice president of the American Ice Co. has the plans and specifications for a new residence to be erected at Bennington Center. It will cost about \$12,000. A few months ago Mr. Johnson bought what has long been known as the Van Der Spiegel house at Bennington Center and three acres of land. The house is one of the old land marks of the town, having been built about 1785. It will be torn down and on its site a modern one erected. Work on the house will be commenced this fall.

### NEW COURT OF FORESTERS.

A new court of the Independent Order of Foresters was instituted Sunday in Baxter hall, Rutland, with 25 members. The following officers were elected: Court deputy, Louis Oslak, court physician, Dr. E. Laporte, junior post, chief ranger, Louis A. Dion, chief ranger, Henry Kinsey, vice-chief ranger, Ernest E. Stern, recording secretary, Alden T. Perival, treasurer, A. L. Bachand, orator, Dr. Fred L. Wells, superintendent of juvenile court, Henry A. Lammher, organist, Mrs. Grace M. A. Sanford, secretary, Mrs. L. R. Churchill, junior woodward, Michele Josse, senior head, Eddie E. Santwire, trustee, Dominick C. Paul and Frank C. Santwire, delegate to high court convention, L. R. Churchill. The court was instituted by George W. Allen, D. S. C. R. and organized by A. W. Blouin, D. S. C. R. It is expected that a new court will have a large membership.

### DELEGATE FROM ALASKA.

Honors in the District Territory Fall to Underhill Boy.

Friends in Burlington and elsewhere in this section will learn with interest of the recent election, as a territorial congressional delegate from Alaska, of Thomas Cale, a former Underhill boy. Mr. Cale is the son of Patrick Cale of Underhill, where his sister, Mrs. M. Ledy still lives. Another sister, Mrs. M. Mattimore, resides in Burlington. For the past eleven years he has been prospecting in Alaska and his square dealings with the miners there have won him a high place in their estimation and made him widely known throughout the country as "Honest Tom." He was among the pioneers in developing the Alaskan mining interests and his career there has been of great interest.

He received the nomination as territorial delegate to the House of Representatives from the Miners' Administration party; made a very strenuous campaign and was elected for the long term by a plurality of 3,331 defeating candidates of both the republican and democratic parties. His election is regarded in Alaska as the miners' protest against neglect on the part of the national government.

### SOCIETY ORGANIZED.

Catholic Students' Club Formed in C. Y. M. U. Hall.

A society organized the Catholic Students' club, which is an association for the members of the cathedral parish who have graduated from the grammar grades in the schools and who have not reached the age of 21 years. The object of the club is to promote the religious and literary education of the members. The organization arose with a membership of about 50 young people and expects soon to have all the younger members of the cathedral parish enrolled as active members. The officers are as follows: President—Louis Johnson. Vice-president—Miss Helen Murphy. Recording secretary—Miss Loreta Burke. Financial secretary—Miss Mamie Hennigan. Spiritual director—The Rev. W. P. Crosby.

### APPRAISAL REDUCED.

Andrews, McSweeney and O'Neil Property Valued at \$7,000.

A meeting of the board of civil authority was held Tuesday night the tax of \$10,000 levied by the assessors in the quadrennial appraisal on the property owned by Dr. B. J. Andrews, P. E. McSweeney and John O'Neil at the lower end of Elm street was reduced to \$7,000. The board visited the property Tuesday afternoon. The opinion of the board as to the amount the property would be assessed at was taken in writing and the amounts varied from \$6,000 to \$10,000. Upon the motion of Alderman Reeves the valuation was fixed at \$7,000.

After the board of civil authority adjourned the board of aldermen met and added the name of C. D. Gratton to the committee recently appointed to consider the revision of the city charter.

### GRAVES DECORATED.

Tuesday being the anniversary of the battle of Plattsburgh, the grave of Capt. Horace B. Sawyer, U. S. N., in Lake View cemetery, and in Elmwood avenue cemetery, the graves of the Rev. Hiram Sanford and Joseph Barron, Jr., pilot of Commander McDonough's flag ship, Saratoga, were decorated with bouquets of asters, in red, white and blue, with small flags in the center, this was done by representative of the State branch of the United States Daughters of 1812. In the cemetery at Bolton, the graves of the Hon. Samuel Barnett Kennedy and John Kennedy, his brother, were similarly decorated by Miss Edith Kennedy, a great granddaughter of John. It became us to thus pay tribute to the memory of the men who did their part to help establish American independence.

### If the Baby Is Cutting Teeth.

Be sure and use that old and well-remembered, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething. It soothes the inflamed membrane, reduces the inflammation, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty cents a bottle.

### BAPTISTS IN SESSION

Annual Meeting of Lamolle Association in This City.

Missions and Sunday School Work the Topics Considered at the 110th Session of a Venerable Organization.

The 110th annual meeting of the Lamolle Baptist association opened Tuesday morning in the First Baptist Church at 9:30 o'clock, when a devotional service was conducted by the Rev. Dr. J. S. Goodall of Essex Junction. At ten o'clock the organization was effected with the Rev. N. A. Wood of Essex Junction, chairman, and the Rev. A. F. Uford of Fairfax, secretary and treasurer.

After the reading of the rules of order, the committee of arrangements, consisting of the Rev. E. D. Penney of this city, the Rev. N. A. Wood of Essex Junction and Dr. J. S. Goodall of this city, made its report. The visiting brothers and sisters were invited to sit with the association. About 100 delegates were present. The scripture lesson was read and prayer was offered by the Rev. W. G. Schofield of Richmond. The annual sermon was then delivered by the Rev. N. A. Wood of Essex Junction, who gave a clear and eloquent consideration of the theme "The Pre-eminence of Christ." The Rev. N. T. Hafer, State evangelist, was then introduced. After Mr. Hafer had finished speaking, the reading of letters was next in order. The letters were read by the secretary, the Rev. Mr. Uford, and by Walter Eddy of this city.

The chairman, Mr. Wood, then appointed the following committees: Place and preacher—The Rev. P. Contois of Hinesburg, F. W. Woods of Essex Junction and A. G. Crane of this city.

State of religion—The Rev. A. F. Uford of Fairfax, the Rev. Dr. J. S. Goodall of Essex Junction and Charles Powell of Richmond.

Obituaries—The Rev. J. S. Brown of St. Albans, F. W. Shephardson of Fairfax and Roger Lyman.

Roll—Ralph Gorton of Essex Junction, Walter Eddy of this city and Eugene Sanctuary of Hinesburg.

Resolutions—The Rev. J. T. Wuzg of Colchester, the Rev. W. G. Schofield of Richmond and W. G. Toward of Jericho.

After prayer by the Rev. Goodall, adjournment was made for dinner in the church parlors.

### AFTERNOON SESSION.

The afternoon session opened at two o'clock with a devotional service, conducted by the Rev. P. Contois of Hinesburg. The Rev. Dr. W. A. Davidson then introduced the new pastors and missionaries, the Rev. N. T. Hafer, State evangelist, the Rev. J. S. Brown of St. Albans and the Rev. C. E. Vanschaick, cooperator. The address of the convention, which followed, was delivered by the Rev. C. E. Vanschaick, cooperator for Vermont. This address was followed by one by the Rev. Dr. L. W. Cronkite, representing the American Baptist Missionary union.

The hour following 3 o'clock was called the women's hour for missions. An address was made by Mrs. Jewett, widow of the late Rev. Dr. Lyman Jewett, formerly for many years a worker at Lone Star mission, India. Mrs. Jewett considered the revival at Nellore, India. Addresses followed by Mrs. M. C. Reynolds of Boston and Miss Anna Reed, field secretary for the women's missionary societies. A solo was sung by Mrs. Thomas Adams of Georgia.

Following the women's hour for missions, a sermon was preached by the Rev. A. F. Uford of Fairfax. After prayer by the Rev. J. T. Buzzell of Colchester, adjournment was made until 7:30 o'clock last evening.

### EVENING SESSION.

The gathering at the Baptist Church last evening was large and the audience listened with interest to the three speakers, F. S. Retan, W. H. Alexander and the Rev. G. R. Stair of Middlebury. A devotional service was led by the Rev. J. T. Buzzell. Mr. Retan's address was on Sunday school work and the dependence of the church upon the Bible school. He said that as religious instruction in the home wanes, the church is called upon to do, for the young, not only the work legitimately devolving on the church, but the parents' work as well. To meet this demand, the church must look to the Bible school. Besides, the influence of the school is such that a large proportion of the ministers of the missionaries, of the active workers among the laity, of the additions to the church membership, come out of the school. The Bible schools of the world comprise a membership of about 25,000,000 and have been termed "the greatest evangelizing agency of the century."

W. H. Alexander led a discussion on the aim and purpose of the teacher and what she should be. He said she should be rich in faith and in Christ, faithful in work, self consecration, love of souls, hopefulness and perseverance.

The Rev. G. R. Stair's address was to the young people. He said the principal thing wanted was courage. He said that the world were not sane and that it was the duty of the same to make them sane. He explained how the church did not need money, as it now had more than ever before, but it needed faith.

### AULD WILL CONTEST.

Has Served Notice on C. D. Gratton, Candidate for Representative.

Joseph Auld, the republican candidate, will contest the election for city representative and has had a notice to that effect served upon C. D. Gratton, the democratic candidate, by Deputy Sheriff Lord. The notice does not say upon what grounds but these will be stated in detail later through the proper channels.

After the election was over there was a recount of the vote in ward five. The ballot boxes after being taken to the city clerk's office were all sealed and they are now in the vault awaiting such action as is necessary.

### ALLEN'S STABLE BURNED.

Fire of Uncertain Origin Entails a Loss of \$7,000 or More.

A fire which was discovered about five o'clock Monday morning entirely destroyed the stable of George H. Allen at his summer place on the lake shore south of Queen City Park. The blaze entailed a loss of between \$7,000 and \$10,000 partially covered by insurance of about \$3,000.

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The fire was of unknown origin but it is thought that it might have been caused by defective electric wiring. When first discovered it was making headway on the outside of the stable. A still alarm was sent to the local fire department and meanwhile the corps of employees of Mr. Allen attempted to subdue the flames. Their efforts, however, were futile and the water tank which might have been of assistance was unavailable owing to repairs which are being made upon it.

All of the horses, carriages, etc., were removed but with the building was destroyed a quantity of hay, grain and other supplies. The stable will be rebuilt.

### VACATION DAYS OVER.

Pupils in All but One of the Schools Back at Work.

The public schools, with the exception of the grammar school, opened Monday with a full attendance. The grammar school will open next Monday morning the delay of a week being due to the fact that the repairs which are being made on the building are not complete. The registrations as reported to Superintendent Wheeler Monday are as follows: High school, 24, of whom about 16 are new pupils; Lawrence Barnes, 25; Pomeroy, 22; Pomeroy kindergarten, 35; Adams, 27; Ira Allen, 32; Archibald street, 318; S. W. Thayer, 50; Lakeside, 52; Lakeside kindergarten, 24; Converse, 23.

### SUFFERING IN CHILE.

C. L